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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

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BILL NUMBER: SB 345

DATE PREPARED: Jan 9, 2001

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Financial and consumer entity regulation.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
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 FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: This bill updates consumer law and financial institution law references to federal law. The bill specifies that rental purchase agreements do not apply to motor vehicles. It provides for notice to the department of financial institutions if certain events happen to an entity. The bill also allows the director of financial institutions to require evidence of licensee compliance for certain licensees. It allows the director of financial institutions to obtain criminal history reports for certain licensees. The bill allows a bank or trust company to act as an agent or broker for an insurance company in other states. The bill also allows an out of state financial institution to convert to a state chartered commercial bank. This bill also makes certain changes to filing requirements with the secretary of state and the department of financial institutions. The bill allows a savings bank to act as an agent or broker for an insurance company in other states. It makes a change to a provision regulating credit unions to comply with federal law. The bill also requires uninsured financial institutions to notify the department of financial institutions when a crime has occurred. The bill allows financial institutions to do a reverse stock split. This bill allows financial institutions to engage in expanded financial activities through subsidiaries. It limits certain additional pawnbroker fees. The bill makes technical corrections.

Effective Date: July 1, 2001.

Explanation of State Expenditures: There may be some additional administrative expenses incurred to the Department of Financial Institutions, however fees for inspection should be able to cover the expenses. Any impact would be minimal.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Department of Financial Institutions.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: Phil Goddard, Indiana Department of Financial Institutions, (317) 232-5837.